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TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.
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**SUBJECT: NOTIFICATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S USE
OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE AN ALCOHOL AND DRUG
SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH WEST COAST DRUG AND ALCOHOL
EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR THE PROVISION OF DRUG/MEDI-CAL
SERVICES**

This is to advise you that the Department of Public Health is exercising its delegated authority, granted by your Board on June 10, 2008, to offer and sign Drug/Medi-Cal (D/MC) Agreements, following County Counsel review and approval, effective upon provider certification date or July 1 of the current Fiscal Year, whichever start date is requested by the provider.

West Coast Drug and Alcohol Education Program became State-certified on February 6, 2008, to provide D/MC services for Outpatient Drug Free Services. West Coast Drug and Alcohol Education Program has requested to provide D/MC services to County, effective February 6, 2008 through June 30, 2011. The total maximum obligation is \$560,000; 100 percent offset by State funds.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the agreement.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

JEF:nb

c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
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